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AMENDMENT B

Mail Stop Patents Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Official Action dated 6 August 2010. An automatic two month extension of time to respond, up to and including 6 January 2011, is requested. The requisite fee accompanies this response.

In response to the Office Action dated 6 August 2010, Applicants respond as follows: